

House Resolution No. 2409

Whereas, the Missouri House of Representatives is fully cognizant of the important role which the Boy Scouts of America organization plays in offering a well-rounded program of activities designed to prepare young men for the many diverse challenges of responsible citizenship; and

Whereas, Joseph W. Kelb of Lincoln, Missouri, has been privileged to participate in such activities as a loyal, diligent, and industrious member of Troop 33, which will bestow upon him the rank of Eagle Scout during appropriate ceremonies on May 18, 2003, at the First Baptist Church; and

Whereas, Joseph culminated seven years of Scouting endeavor with the successful completion of his required Eagle project that took him many hours to plan, organize, and carry out for the overall benefit of others by building a handicap ramp and installing a covered awning at the VFW in Lincoln; and

Whereas, the son of Royce and Susan Kelb, Joseph always took the time and continually put forth the energy to perform his duties in the most efficient and effective manner possible and truly excelled while assuming responsibility as Scribe, Junior Assistant Scoutmaster, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, and Senior Patrol Leader; and

Whereas, Joseph has ample reason to be exceedingly proud of his other impressive achievements which include going on a High Adventure trip to Philmont, attending summer camp, and earning thirty-three merit badges, membership in the Order of the Arrow, and the status of Firebuilder in the Tribe of Mic-O-Say; and

Whereas, it is only with the commitment, ability, and enthusiasm of such young Missourians as Joseph Kelb that America can continue to maintain respect as the greatest nation in the world:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in conveying to Joseph Kelb a message of appreciation for his steadfast determination to succeed in Scouts, in congratulating him as he attains the rank of Eagle, and in wishing him much fulfillment in pursuing new avenues of challenge in the years ahead; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Joseph W. Kelb.

Offered by _____
Representative Tom Self
District No. 116

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2409, adopted May 1, 2003.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker